

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

CAROLLYNE GALANSKI,

Plaintiff,

v.

WAL-MART ASSOCIATES, INC.,

Defendants.

Case No. 1:23-cv-01270-JLT-CDB

ORDER ON STIPULATION AMENDING
SCHEDULING ORDER AS MODIFIED

(Doc. 43)

On April 25, 2023, Plaintiff Carollyne Galanski initiated this action with the filing of a complaint in state court against Defendant Wal-Mart Associates, Inc. (Doc. 1). Following Plaintiff's filing of a first amended complaint, on August 24, 2023, Defendant removed the action to this Court. *Id.* Following Plaintiff's filing in this Court of the operative second amended complaint, the Court convened with the parties for scheduling conference and, on December 15, 2023, the Court issued its scheduling order. (Doc. 30).

On January 3, 2024, the Court issued an order relating this case, pursuant to Local Rule 123, to *Mills v. Wal-Mart Associates, Inc.*, Case No. 1:23-cv-1273-JLT-CDB. (Doc. 36 in the *Mills* case). On May 16, 2024, the parties attended a discovery dispute conference before the Court (Doc. 36), after which, on May 24, 2024, the Court issued an order regarding the discovery disputes. (Doc. 37).

Pending before the Court is the parties' stipulated request for order extending by 150 days all discovery deadlines due to an upcoming private mediation on October 21, 2024. (Doc. 43 at 2-4). In a supporting declaration, counsel attests to the parties' meet and confer efforts and to details concerning the scheduled mediation. (Doc. 43-1).

While the Court agrees that good cause exists to extend case management dates to facilitate the scheduled mediation and conserve party and Court resources, the Court does not find good cause to grant a five-month extension, as requested.

In light of the parties' representations in the stipulation (Doc. 43) and declaration (Doc. 43-1), and for good cause shown, it is HEREBY ORDERED that the scheduling order is amended as follows:

Non-expert discovery	February 18, 2025
Expert disclosure	February 28, 2025
Rebuttal disclosure	March 28, 2025
Expert Discovery Cut-Off	April 25, 2025
Filing of non-dispositive motions	May 2, 2025
Hearing of non-dispositive motions	June 4, 2025
Filing of dispositive motions	June 18, 2025
Hearing of dispositive motions	July 30, 2025
Pre-trial conference	September 29, 2025
Trial	December 2, 2025

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Dated: August 23, 2024


UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE